

Western Washington University Faculty Evaluation Results

Instructor: Pugh, Meredith C.
 Term: Fall 2015
 Mailstop: WWU MS9055
 Class: LING 402 African American Vernacular (43478)

Form: A
 Number Enrolled: 18
 Number Responding: 15

ITEM	DISTRIBUTION OF RESPONSES*							MEAN
	E	VG	G	F	P	VP	NS	
1 Clarity of course goals and objectives was:	6	0	5	4	0	0	0	3.53
2 Challenge level of assigned work was:	4	3	7	1	0	0	0	3.67
3 Fairness of evaluation procedures was:	5	7	3	0	0	0	0	4.13
4 Intellectual challenge offered by the course was:	5	6	4	0	0	0	0	4.07
5 Organization of the course was:	3	2	2	6	2	0	0	2.87
6 Instructor's classroom presentation was:	5	3	4	3	0	0	0	3.67
7 Instructor's use of classroom time was:	6	4	2	3	0	0	0	3.87
8 Instructor's answers to student's questions were:	6	4	3	2	0	0	0	3.93
9 Instructor's explanations were:	2	6	5	1	0	0	1	3.64
10 Instructor's use of examples and illustrations was:	4	7	3	1	0	0	0	3.93
11 Instructor's availability for extra help was:	7	4	3	0	0	0	1	4.29
12 Instructor's enthusiasm for the subject was:	13	2	0	0	0	0	0	4.87
13 Instructor's prompt response to homework/tests was:	9	5	1	0	0	0	0	4.53
14 Instructor's record for coming to class on time was:	12	3	0	0	0	0	0	4.80
15 Instructor's record for meeting with the class as schedule	11	4	0	0	0	0	0	4.73
16 Instructor's lecture pace was:	7	3	5	0	0	0	0	4.13
17 Instructor's awareness of student comprehension was:	6	5	4	0	0	0	0	4.13
18 The overall course was:	5	4	5	1	0	0	0	3.87
19 Instructor's effectiveness in teaching the subject matter	7	2	4	0	2	0	0	3.80
20 Instructor's contribution overall to the course was:	7	3	3	1	1	0	0	3.93
25 Form A - Option 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	NA
26 Form A - Option 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	NA
27 Form A - Option 3	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	NA
28 Form A - Option 4	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	NA
29 Form A - Option 5	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	NA

When you registered, was this a class you wanted to take?

- 11 Yes
- 0 No
- 3 Neutral

This Course is: (Choose only one)

- 13 in my MAJOR
- 0 in my MINOR or PROGRAM REQUIREMENT
- 0 a GUR (General University Requirement)
- 2 an ELECTIVE
- 0 other

My class standing is:

- 0 Freshman
- 0 Sophomore
- 3 Junior
- 12 Senior
- 0 Graduate
- 0 Other

Grade I expect to receive

- 9 A
- 5 B
- 1 C
- 0 D
- 0 F
- 0 Pass or Satisfactory
- 0 No Pass or Unsatisfactory

*Key: E = Excellent 5, VG = Very Good 4, G = Good 3,
 F = Fair 2, P = Poor 1, VP = Very Poor 0,
 NS = No Selection

WESTERN WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY
STUDENT EVALUATION OF INSTRUCTION COMMENTS

INSTRUCTOR: Pugh COURSE: ^{1. AAVE} 13402 DATE: 12/4/18

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1. What aspects of the teaching or content of this course do you feel were especially good?
2. What changes could be made to improve the teaching or the content of this course?
3. Other comments.

I really enjoyed this class, very eye opening and informative. My only critique is that you run through prez's too quickly to read/take notes

Thank you for your participation!

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STUDENT EVALUATION OF INSTRUCTION COMMENTS

INSTRUCTOR: Payton COURSE: Living 402 DATE: 4 Dec

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More styles in conflict!

Thank you for your participation!

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INSTRUCTOR: Pugh COURSE: Ling 402 DATE: 12/4

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Dr. Pugh is a perfect ray of pedagogical
sunlight.

Thank you for your participation!

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STUDENT EVALUATION OF INSTRUCTION COMMENTS

INSTRUCTOR: Meredith Pugh COURSE: Ling 402 DATE: 12/4/15

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Interesting topic. Glad I took this class. Thank you for sharing your knowledge with us!

Thank you for your participation!

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INSTRUCTOR: M. Pugh COURSE: Ling 402 DATE: 12/4/15

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The design and layout for this class was
definitely trial and error. Meetings with her will
help future classes.

Thank you for your participation!

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STUDENT EVALUATION OF INSTRUCTION COMMENTS

INSTRUCTOR: Pugh COURSE: 402 AAVE DATE: 12-4-15

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1. We talked about a lot of important topics and canvas was really nice by the end of the quarter. I think ~~was~~ starting w/ phonology was good. Journals were nice to do.

2. We need a different book. Class discussions were often painful. Hard to listen to, hard to speak. We need to get in a circle, actually face each other, and no hand raising. We need to be more balanced about it. Need to find a better way to discuss in class. Also, we should be required to discuss online as part of the class. Start w/ structure + ~~etc~~ do social issues next. I didn't like the group paper. Wish I could have done my own project.

Thank you for your participation!

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STUDENT EVALUATION OF INSTRUCTION COMMENTS

INSTRUCTOR: Meredith Pugh COURSE: Ling 402 ^{AAISE} DATE: 12/1/15

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I appreciated Dr. Pugh's willingness to listen to our concerns about the class and I really liked that she listened to our criticisms and ~~used~~ used them to shape the course structure. There were aspects of the class that could've been more clear on the syllabus, and I understand that this was a new class so the structure was shaky but I've been in new classes before that were more stable and less up in the air. I was really hesitant to take this class when I registered for it but I really needed the credits and now I'm glad I got to take it. Some aspects of the class were a little preachy, ~~but~~ but it was a good class overall.

Thank you for your participation!

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STUDENT EVALUATION OF INSTRUCTION COMMENTS

INSTRUCTOR: Meridith Pugh COURSE: LING 402 DATE: 12/04/15

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① The readings, especially Green and Smitherman, were very informative.

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Thank you for your participation!

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INSTRUCTOR: Pugh COURSE: Ling 402 DATE: 12/14/15

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1. The lectures on the linguistic features of AAVE were good. The writing assignments were good, and the final paper/final writing assignment were good.

2. The class could be organized better. The readings didn't always seem relevant, and the assigned textbook didn't seem relevant either.

Thank you for your participation!

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INSTRUCTOR: Meredeth Pugh COURSE: LING 402 DATE: 4 Dec 2015

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This was a very enlightening course that was needed here at Western! I think that with a little more organization the course would have been really good. The journals were great and enjoyable to write, but I think that we should have had the option to write about other things than TV shows. For example, we talk a lot about current events. We should write about that in journals and discuss that briefly in class (since we like to talk a long time about those kinds of things. Also I think the prezis / lectures could be improved. They were very thick and full of info but were confusing. Loved this class !

Thank you for your participation!

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INSTRUCTOR: M. Pugh COURSE: LING 402 DATE: 12/04/2015

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Thanks for allowing us to refine the way you taught the course. It felt a little scattered.

Thank you for your participation!

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The course was very informative and had helpful discussions, but sometimes it was difficult to keep up with the constantly changing syllabus. It was good that you checked in with us about how the class was going, and even talking about tough issues. I'd say this class was hard to do but good for everyone.

Thank you for your participation!